

## Delta Vision Blue Ribbon Task Force Action Items

- 1) Approve work plan, and urge work groups to proceed with schedule proposed (work products by April or early May).
  - 1a) possible additional nominees for work groups and as resources; TF members provide nominees to JJK
  - 1b) achieve effective linkage to DRMS expertise (Ray Seed and Bob Twiss to help identify critical information, especially re levees)
  - 1c) identify how the Near Term Actions recommended in the vision are addressed in each work group
  
- 2) Specific motion on estuarine ecosystem work group: Accept and endorse the documents submitted regarding The Estuarine Ecosystem as the working policy of the Delta Vision Task Force. These documents incorporate the CALFED Ecosystem Restoration Program (ERP) Strategic Plan for Ecosystem Restoration and the BDCP working biological goals and include:
  - Delta Ecosystem Revitalization Framework for Progress
  - Performance Indicators for the Delta (Mike Healey 080219)
  - Bullet Conclusions from performance Measures Discussion, 21 February 2008, Summarized by Delta Vision Science Advisors Mike Healey and Jeff MountFurther, request the Ecosystem Work Group to incorporate into the final recommendations performance measures for the preliminary categories set forth by Chairman Isenberg:
  - Land
  - Habitat
  - Critters – Aquatic and Terrestrial
  - Water
  - Delta as PlaceExpress in clear common-sense language (English).

3. Request staff support continued efforts to advance the Near Term Actions recommended in vision, including working with DV Committee.
4. Request Secretary Chrisman and Director Snow to provide additional information on how they propose to address Near Term Action recommendation # 7 "Improvements in the current water conveyance and groundwater and surface storage systems shall be pursued as rapidly as possible by the responsible agencies and departments, upon direction by the Governor."
5. Request the relevant state departments and agencies (DWR, SWRCB, PUC, CEC) to provide specific recommendations to increase conservation and more efficient use of California's water resources. These recommendations are to be received by the Task Force by March 18.
6. Direct staff to request information needed to support Delta Vision from departments and agencies, specifying responses in time to support the work of Delta Vision.
7. Proceed to schedule two workshops on modeling, including the goal of ensuring that the models address the five performance standards stated in the vision.
8. Direct staff to determine how Building Industry Association's legislation from last year relates to levee standard issue we're dealing with
9. ***Request to Heather Cooley:*** actual projections of trend lines of savings of time associated with specifications, even if grade with phase in of 5 or 10 years; want to know how fast you can get what you want and what do you have to do to get that, which is unfair but common political way of approaching the problem
  - a. Please forward new version of USGS withdrawal statistics when available